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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of : January 24, 2005
Lorin E. Ullmann, et al : Group Art No.: 2154
Serial No. 09/737,368 : Examiner: Haresh Patel
Filed: December 15, 2000 : for IBM Corporation
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS IN Anne Vachon Dougherty
NETWORK MANAGEMENT FOR SLOW 3173 Cedar Road
APPLICATION PROGRAMMING Yorktown Hts, NY 10598
INTERFACES FOR STATUS QUERIES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time for response for a period of one month. The period for response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004 for the above-identified patent application will now expire on January 24, 2005, the 22nd having fallen on a weekend.

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the one month extension.

Respectfully submitted,
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